

Annual Peak-Flow Frequency Analysis

For more information on the contents of this documentation, see Kessler and others (2013).

Streamgage number and name:

05476010 Nelson Creek at Jackson, Minn.

Peak-flow information:

Number of systematic peak flows in record	12
Systematic period begins	1964
Systematic period ends	1975
Length of systematic record	12
Years without information	0
Peak flows not used in analysis	1
Number of historical peak flows in record	0

Frequency analysis options:

Method	Bulletin 17B
Skew option	Weighted
Generalized skew	-0.158
Standard error of generalized skew	0.426
Low-outlier method	Bulletin 17B Grubbs-Beck test

Bulletin 17B systematic record analysis results:

Moments of the common logarithms of the peak flows:

	Mean	Standard deviation	Skewness
	2.5047	0.3643	0.147

Outlier criteria and number of peak flows exceeding:

Low	53.4	0
High	1914.3	1

Bulletin 17B Final analysis results:

Moments of the common logarithms of the peak flows:

Standard		
Mean	deviation	Skewness
2.5047	0.3643	-0.064

Annual frequency curve at selected exceedance probabilities:

[WIE, Weighted independent estimate; --, not computed]

Exceedance probability	Peak estimate	Lower-95 level	Upper 95 level	WIE estimate	Lower-95 WIE level	Upper 95 WIE level
0.9950	35.0	9.6	68.5	--	--	--
0.9900	43.7	13.4	81.4	--	--	--
0.9500	79.2	32.3	131.0	--	--	--
0.9000	108.0	50.8	171.0	--	--	--
0.8000	158.0	86.1	239.0	--	--	--
0.6667	224.0	136.0	334.0	--	--	--
0.5000	322.0	211.0	494.0	289	190	438
0.4292	374.0	249.0	589.0	--	--	--
0.2000	649.0	430.0	1,200.0	564	364	875
0.1000	931.0	592.0	1,980.0	788	488	1,270
0.0400	1,360.0	813.0	3,430.0	1,120	651	1,920
0.0200	1,740.0	991.0	4,910.0	1,410	774	2,560
0.0100	2,160.0	1,180.0	6,780.0	1,730	903	3,300
0.0050	2,640.0	1,380.0	9,120.0	--	--	--
0.0020	3,350.0	1,660.0	13,000.0	2,600	1,190	5,690

Peak-flow data used in the analysis:

Explanation of symbols and codes

-- none

H Historic, outside of systematic record

Water Peak Peak-flow

year flow code

1959 2,690 H

1964 166 --

1965 670 --

1966 600 --

1967 412 --

1968 120 --

1969 1,480 --

1970 120 --

1971 542 --

1972 228 --

1973 100 --

1974 542 --

1975 290 --